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CONFIRMATION NO. 6273

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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 770 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).
- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is **\$900** for a Large Entity

- **\$770** Statutory basic filing fee.
- **\$130** Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

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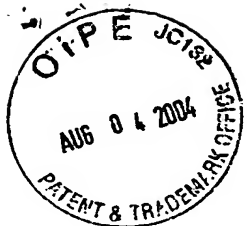
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PATENT APPLICATION
Q-79591

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In re application of

Pascal DENOLLY

Appln. No.: 10/764,490

Group Art Unit: 3746

Confirmation No.: 6273

Examiner: NOT YET KNOWN

Filed: January 27, 2004

For: A DEVICE FOR INFLATING A BALLOON

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL
APPLICATION FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(B) - FILING DATE GRANTED**

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Sir:

In response to the "Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application filed under 37 CFR 1.53(b) - Filing Date Granted," for the above application, Applicant respectfully submits herewith a copy of the Declaration for the above identified application properly executed by the inventors. Also enclosed please find a Form PTO-1595 w/executed Assignment for recordation, an Information Disclosure Statement w/French Search Report and cited references, and Submission of Priority Document, w/certified priority document.

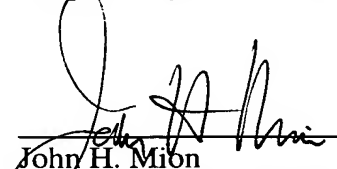
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| Total claims | 10 - 20 = 0 | x \$18 = | \$-0- |
| Independent claims ... | 1 - 03 = 0 | x \$86 = | \$-0- |
| Base fee | | | \$ 770.00 |
| Government Surcharge Fee (Late Submission) | | | <u>\$ 130.00</u> |
| TOTAL FILING FEE* | | | \$ 900.00 |
| Assignment Recordation Fee | | | <u>\$ 40.00</u> |
| TOTAL FEE | | | \$ 940.00 |

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Checks for the statutory filing fee of \$900.00 and Assignment Recordation Fee of \$40.00 are attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this paper is attached.

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